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You may not have heard about collective energy switching before, but the concept is really simple. By coming together as one to buy our energy, we can negotiate better deals with energy providers, making bigger savings which are passed on to you!

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Cyd Cymru – Wales Together

Cyd Cymru is a Wales-wide collective switching scheme. Wherever you live in Wales if you sign up and switch your energy supplier, you could be feeling the benefits. The more people we can sign up, the better discounts we can negotiate.

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How does the process work?

There is no cost to switch and no obligation to switch supplier(s). You will have the final say on whether you want to switch or not. The process is quite simple:

1. Registration: The first step is to register your interest, providing as much detail about your energy use. You can do this online or on the telephone.

2. Energy Auction: An energy auction will then take place where Energy Suppliers are asked to give their best price to those who have registered to be part of the collective.

3. New rate offered: You will be contacted with a personal offer calculated for you, based on the information you have provided.

4. You decide to switch. If you accept the offer, you will be assisted to switch to the new cheaper tariff.

5. **Our partner, energyhelpline, will assist you in completing the switch.**

How do I register?

There will be at least two switches between now and March 2014 where you can register your details either online or by telephone. The first switch opened on 21 October and will remain open until at least 1 December 2013.
You can register your details with us by:

1. filling in the online form on our web-site **www.cydcymru-energy.com**
2. calling our contact centre on 0800 093 5902

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Tough times

A message from Council Leader Heather Joyce

IT has been widely publicised that all UK councils are facing very challenging times due to the economic downturn and Cardiff is no different.

The current financial climate has seen the local authority's settlements greatly reduced leaving our administration with the unenviable task of having to make some stark and difficult choices.

Funding cuts together with inflation, increasing demand and increased costs means the Council is facing a budget shortfall of £46m for 2014/15 alone which will change the way we are shaped and operate.

The bottom line is that Cardiff Council does not have enough money to keep doing things the way that we have been doing and with such a huge reduction in our budgets local government in Cardiff, like the rest of the country, is going to look very different in the future.

As a Council we are committed to protecting our key services. That means looking after the vulnerable, improving standards of education, driving forward the city's economy by creating jobs and opportunities for businesses to thrive and protecting, where possible, frontline services.

However significant cuts will need to be made and with more than half of the Council's expenditure being on staff costs the grim reality is our workforce will need to be reduced.

We also have to accept that the way we deliver some services will have to change. We will have to look at providing what we offer in an alternative way, including potentially merging services and managing services and back office functions in collaboration with other Welsh councils to increase efficiency and reduce costs. The reality is that we will need to look at others delivering services on behalf of the Council which could be through a number of types of organisation.

This is quite simply one of the toughest times that has ever been faced by local government and so it is important that residents understand just how difficult things are but are reassured that we will do everything possible tackle the challenges we are facing.

Everyone needs to recognise the difficulties which lie ahead and to work with us to help prioritise the services that are so vital to our communities.

Yes we have difficult and stark choices ahead of us as a local authority but we will always strive to protect frontline services. This has to be the heart of everything we do and our priorities, despite the sheer scale of the cuts required to ensure the Council's budget is balanced, will not change.

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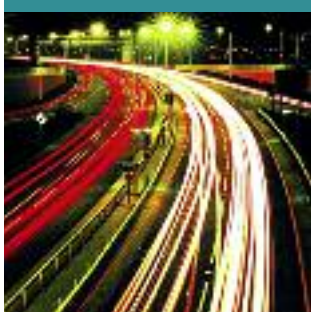

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Every 2nd & 4th Saturday of every month, 11am to 12 noon at County Hall, Atlantic Wharf (in the office to the left of reception). Saturday street surgeries - 12.15pm to 1.15pm. Contact 07976 358696.

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1st Saturday of the month, 11am to 12noon at Cathays Community Centre, Cathays Terrace. All other Saturdays at Cathays Library, Fairoak Road. For city centre surgeries contact Members Services on 029 2087 2020 for details.

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Every Wednesday 12noon to 1.00pm at Pentrebane Community Centre.

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2nd and 4th Saturday 2pm to 3.30pm – fixed surgeries at Fairwater Library.

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Thursday 7 November, 6-7pm: North Star pub, North Road.
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Tuesday 10th December 5.30 - 7pm
Eastern Leisure Centre.
Saturday 14th December 11 - 12pm
Llanrumney Hub/Library.
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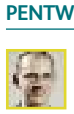

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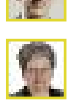

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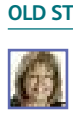

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Saturday 7 December 2013. Lord Mayor's Charity Coffee Morning with Mince Pie
Ward Surgery 10.00am to 10.30am
Coffee with Bring and Buy Sale and Raffle 10.30am – 12 Noon. Baptist Church, Heol Ucha, Rhiwbina. http://rhiwbinaward.co.uk

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4th Saturday of the month, 11am to 12noon in Bethesda United Reformed Church, Tongwynlais.

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What does the Council spend its money on - where your money goes

THE Council's budget is funded from a number of sources. These are grants from the Welsh Government (60 per cent), Business Rates (18 per cent) and Council Tax (22 per cent)

It is estimated that Cardiff Council provides more than 700 separate services to the public and it is often confusing knowing exactly what the council is responsible for.

Many of these are part of council's statutory responsibilities – such as education, social services, transport and planning.

Councils also provide a range of non-statutory services such as sport, leisure and culture and the regeneration of local areas.

Here is a brief break down of some the key areas the council spends its money on.

- Education and Lifelong Learning - £236m
- Health & Social Care - £93m
- Children's Services - £50m
- Communities, Housing & Customer Services - £37m
- Sports, Leisure & Culture - £20m
- Strategic Planning, Highways, Traffic & Transportation - £36m
- Environment - £27m

The council also has a Capital Investment Programme of over £400m, earmarked for a five year period, which includes:

- £154m to improve the condition of school buildings and school facilities
- £87m for schemes across the city to secure local regeneration, economic development and employment
- £57m investment to improve the condition of existing public and private housing including disabled adaptations
- Investment in highways, transport, leisure facilities as well as in technology and buildings to improve services are also included in the programme.

News in brief

Register of electors – don't lose your right to vote

THE annual audit for the register of electors has started. Each household will already have received a registration form and it is important that you respond so that you don't lose your right to vote.

The process is simple and provided there are no changes in your household you can respond by post, through the internet, the freephone service or even with a text. Another benefit of being on the electoral register is that your chance of successfully applying for credit will improve.

If you had previously opted out of having your name appearing on the edited electoral register, this now only applies for 12 months and you must re-tick for this to continue. The edited register is available for general sale and can be used for commercial activities such as marketing.

If you wish to permanently opt out of appearing on the edited electoral register please contact the Electoral Services Office on 2087 2034 or write this on your Voter Registration form or Annual Canvass form. You cannot do this on behalf of anyone else. Each person must inform the Electoral Registration Officer in writing if they wish to permanently opt-out.

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Tuesday 15 and Wednesday 16 October
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Tuesday 29 and Wednesday 30 October
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Cardiff bidding to host the World Half Marathon Championships 2016

CARDIFF is in the running to host the IAAF (International Associations of Athletics Federations) World Half Marathon Championships in 2016.

The proposal, has been developed by Cardiff Council in partnership with Welsh Government, the world governing body of athletics, Welsh Athletics and UK Athletics.

UK Athletics and the Welsh Government have agreed to provide funding of up to £360,000 with the Welsh Government providing a further £400,000 contingency for the successful delivery of the event.

Cardiff Council will contribute £150,000 from the Corporate Initiatives fund providing the bid is successful and would have control of the Organising Committee and of the budget for the event.

Previously hosted by countries including Brazil, China and Italy, this biennial event would provide significant economic benefits for Cardiff and the city region estimated at £1 million, as well as providing an economic boost for the rest of Wales.

The event will also create significant amounts of funding estimated at £2m for charities and good causes in respect of the mass participation race.

The bid follows yet another successful Lloyds Bank Cardiff Half Marathon which took place in October.

Attracting both serious athletes as well as casual recreational runners, the race is now the second biggest half marathon in the UK and has achieved rapid growth since 2008 from 8,000 participants to 18,000 registered runners last year.

Cabinet Member for Sport Leisure and Culture, Cllr Ramesh Patel said: "The Lloyds Bank Cardiff Half Marathon is now a major event for Wales and shows the city has the capacity, infrastructure and draw to be able to host the World Half Marathon Championships (WHMC).

"It would be hugely exciting for Cardiff to host this event which further compliments the city's vast sporting event portfolio, promoting it to an international audience.

"A significant and well-respected fixture in the athletics calendar, the World Half Marathon Championships attracts competitors and spectators from all over the world including top-flight athletes."

Cabinet Member for Finance and Economic Development, Cllr Russell Goodway added: "We have been working alongside Welsh Government, the world governing body of athletics, Welsh Athletics and UK Athletics to develop a bid proposal for the city to host the IAAF World Half Marathon Championships 2016.

"A key objective of Welsh Government and Cardiff Council has been to develop the Lloyds Bank Cardiff Half Marathon which is now the biggest mass participation sports event in Wales and one of the largest road races in the UK.

"It would be fantastic if Cardiff were to win this bid and would be yet another feather in the cap of our supporting success, showcasing us to a global audience once again and bringing a boost to both the city and the region's economy."

Cardiff City FC
Tel: 0845 365 1115
www.cardiffcityfc.co.uk

Premier League
Sunday, November 24, 4pm
Cardiff vs Manchester United

Saturday, November 30, 3pm
Cardiff vs Arsenal

Cardiff RFC
Tel: 029 2030 2002
www.cardiffrfc.com

Principality Premiership
Saturday, November 23, 2.30pm
Cardiff RFC vs Aberavon

Saturday, November 29, 7.15pm
Cardiff RFC vs Cross Keys

Cardiff Blues RFC
Tel: 029 2030 2030
www.cardiffblues.com

RaboDirect Pro12
Saturday, November 23, 6.30pm
Cardiff Blues vs Munster Rugby

Heineken Cup
Friday, December 6, 8pm
Cardiff Blues vs Glasgow Warriors

Cardiff Devils
Tel: 029 2038 2001
www.cardiffdevils.com

Elite League
Sunday, November 17, 6pm
Cardiff Devils vs Braehead Clan

Sunday, November 24, 6pm
Cardiff Devils vs Sheffield Steelers

Sunday November 30, 7pm
Cardiff Devils vs Nottingham Panthers,

Sunday, December 8, 6pm
Cardiff Devils vs Dundee Stars

For all other sporting fixtures taking place across the city this month please visit www.sport-cardiff.com

Capital Notice...

Public Notices

NEW TRAFFIC PROPOSAL FOR THE CITY AND COUNTY OF CARDIFF

Notice is hereby given that on the 8th day of November, 2013 the County Council of the City and County of Cardiff in exercise of its powers under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 (as amended), Part 6 of the Traffic Management Act 2004 as amended and The Civil Enforcement of Parking Contraventions (City and County of Cardiff) Designation Order 2010, and of all other enabling powers made an Order the general effect of which is to impose traffic restrictions in the lengths of road set out in the Schedule below. The title of the Order is also described in the said Schedule.

No more than 3 permits will be issued per property (one of which being a Visitor Permit) and the cost of such permits will be in accordance with the County Council of the City and County of Cardiff (On Street Parking Places) (Charges) Order 1999 which are for the time being:-
Exemptions will be permitted for the following reasons:-

Permit Application per Address per Financial Year	Fee Charged per permit issued
1st 2nd Visitor	£5 £30 £5

(a) boarding and alighting from a vehicle;

(b) loading and unloading of goods;

(c) essential services and funerals;

(d) for a maximum period of three hours vehicles when displaying a "Disabled Badge" and being used for the conveyance of disabled persons.

The Order will come into operation on the 18th day of November, 2013 and copies of the Order and plans showing the affected areas are available at the address shown below, where they may be examined between the hours of 9.00 a.m.-1.00 p.m. and 2.00 p.m. – 5.00 p.m. Monday to Friday.

If you wish to question the Order's provisions or validity on the grounds that they are not within the powers conferred by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984 or on the ground that any requirement of, or any instrument made under the Act, has not been complied within in relation to the Order, you may, within six weeks from the 8th November, 2013 apply to the High Court for this purpose.

Schedule

The County Council of the City and County of Cardiff (Bronwydd Avenue/Pen-y-Lan Road, Cardiff) (Prohibition of Waiting) Order 2013 will prevent you from leaving your vehicle in at any time in Bronwydd Avenue Pen-y-Lan Road on its north west side from its junction with Bronwydd Avenue for a distance of 10 metres north east

The County Council of the City and County of Cardiff (Arabella Street, Cardiff) (Residents Parking Places) Order 2013 will establish Residents Parking Places (between the hours of 8.00 a.m. and 10.00 p.m. daily) in Arabella Street on its south west side from appoint 11 metres south east of its junction with Ty'n-y-Coed Place for a distance of 16 metres south east and; on its south west side from appoint 32 metres south east of its junction with Ty'n-y-coed Place for a distance of 5 metres south east.

Dated 11th day of November, 2013. SHAUN JAMIESON – County Solicitor, Legal Services, County Hall, Atlantic Wharf, Cardiff CF10 4UW

Committee Dates

November & December 2013

Tuesday, 12 November, Corporate Parenting Panel, 4.30pm, Committee Room 4, County Hall.

Tuesday, 12 November, Environmental Scrutiny Committee, 4.30pm, Committee Room 2, County Hall.

Wednesday, 13 November, Planning Committee (Development Control), 2.30pm, Committee Room 1, County Hall

Thursday, 21 November, Council, 4.30pm, Council Chamber, City Hall.

Tuesday, 26 November, Policy Performance & Review Scrutiny Committee, 4.30pm, Committee Room 4, County Hall.

Wednesday, 27 November, Community and Adult Scrutiny Committee, 5pm, Committee Room 4, County Hall.

Thursday, 28 November, Economy & Culture Scrutiny Committee, 4.30pm, Committee Room 3, County Hall.

Monday, 2 December, Audit Committee, 2.00pm, Committee Room 1, County Hall

Tuesday, 3 December, Licensing Committee, 10am, Committee Room 3, County Hall.

Tuesday, 3 December, Public Protection Committee, 10.30am, Committee Room 3, County Hall.

Tuesday, 3 December, Children & Young People Scrutiny Committee, 4.30pm, Committee Room 4, County Hall.

Wednesday, 4 December, Democratic Services Committee, 10.30pm, Committee Room 2, County Hall.

Wednesday, 4 December, Joint Children & Young People and Community & Adult Services Scrutiny Committees, 5pm, Committee Room 4, County Hall.

Thursday, 5 December, Cabinet, 2.30pm, Committee Room 3, County Hall.

Tuesday, 10 December, Environmental Scrutiny Committee, 4.30pm, Committee Room 2, County Hall.

Wednesday, 11 December, Planning Committee (Development Control), 2.30pm Ferrier Hall, City Hall.

Friday, 13 December, Glamorgan Archives Joint Committee, 2pm, Glamorgan Record Office, Leckwith

These dates are correct at time of going to press, however changes can occur due to unforeseen circumstances. If you wish to attend any of these meetings, details may be confirmed with Committee & Members Services at County Hall on 029 2087 2020.

JOG ON SANTA
We need you to raise funds and join the fight against heart disease this Christmas. Registration fee includes santa suit for adults. Children come in fancy dress.
British Heart Foundation
CYMRU
Sunday 1st December 2013
10.30am, Cardiff Castle
Register now at bhf.org.uk/cardiffsantajog2013
or call 0300 330 3322
FIGHT FOR EVERY HEARTBEAT
bhf.org.uk

'The Official Start to Christmas in Cardiff'
STEP into CHRISTMAS
Thurs 14 Nov
City Centre
4.30-7.30pm
CHRISTMAS in CARDIFF
2013
CARDIFF'S FLYBE WINTER WONDERLAND
14 NOV - 5 JAN
CITY HALL LAWN
flybe.
www.christmasincardiff.com
CALENNIG
Midnight Celebrations
Civic Centre
31 Dec-1 Jan
flybe.
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Un o fentrau Llywodraeth Cynulliad Cymru
Welsh Assembly Government Initiative

Primary Schools Menu 11 November - 06 December 2013

	11 NOV / 02 DEC	18 NOVEMBER	25 NOVEMBER
MONDAY	Ham & Pineapple Pizza Tuna & Sweetcorn Pizza Margherita Pizza V Herby Diced Potatoes Baked Beans Sweetcorn Rice Pudding with Raisins	Chicken Kiev Vegetable Nuggets V New Potatoes Garden Peas Chocolate Brownie	Beef Burger Quorn Burger V Tomato Ketchup Chipped Potatoes Garden Peas Coleslaw Rice Pudding with Raisins
TUESDAY	Meatballs in Tomato Sauce/Gravy Vegeballs in Tomato Sauce/Gravy V Pasta Creamed Potato Garden Peas Coconut Slice	Pasta Bolognaise Pasta Neapolitan V Garlic Bread Green Beans Banana Muffin	Chicken & Pepperoni Pasta Bake Pasta Neapolitan V Garlic Bread Sweetcorn Cornflake Crisp
WEDNESDAY	Chicken Tikka Vegetable Tikka V Fish Finger Wrap Rice / New Potatoes Mixed Vegetables / Coleslaw Raspberry Arctic Roll with Fruit Cocktail	Chicken Korma Vegetable Korma V Alaskan Salmon Bake Rice Creamed Potatoes Garden Peas Jelly with Ice Cream	Chicken Casserole Quorn Casserole V Crispy Golden Fish Tomato Ketchup Rice / New Potatoes Garden Peas Peaches with Ice Cream
THURSDAY	Roast Turkey Pork Sausage Quorn Sausage V Sage & Onion Stuffing Gravy Roast/New Potatoes Cabbage /Carrots Flapjack	Roast Pork / Pork Sausage Cheese & Potato Pie V Sage & Onion Stuffing Apple Sauce/Gravy Roast/Creamed Potatoes Broccoli/ Carrots Chocolate Crunch Cookies	Roast Beef Cheese & Vegetable Pastry V Yorkshire Pudding Gravy Roast/New Potatoes Broccoli/Carrots Muesli Cookies
FRIDAY	Crispy Golden Fish Cheese, Egg & Potato Bake V Tomato Ketchup Creamed Potato Garden Peas Apple & Blackberry Crumble with Custard	Fish Fingers Scrambled Egg & Cheesy Beans on Toast V Potato Rosti Bites Baked Beans Garden Peas / Coleslaw Strawberry Tart with Custard	Salmon Chunks Country Vegetable Bake V Creamed Potato Garden Peas Baked Beans Eve's Pudding with Custard

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY:
Jacket Potatoes and Sandwiches
Fresh Fruit, müller Yogurt and Cheese and Crackers

V - indicates a vegetarian option
Your school may have requested a smaller menu selection
Your school may have different term dates

Cardiff's menu gives children all the right nutrients and energy for a school day

Source: Cardiff Nutritional Analysis

CERTIFIED SUSTAINABLE SEAFOOD MSC MML-C-1009 www.msc.org
Seafood with this mark comes from a fishery that has been independently certified to the MSC's standard for a well-managed and sustainable fishery

CARDIFF CAERDYDD

www.cardiff.gov.uk/schoolscatering

Capital Events...

Another event brought to you by Cardiff Council www.cardiff.gov.uk or Call C2C on 2087 2087

New Theatre
Tel: 2087 8889
www.newtheatrecardiff.co.uk

See website for performance times and further details.

Kindertransport
Tuesday, November 12 - Saturday, November 16

Horrible Science
Tuesday, November 19 - Saturday, November 23

Chin Chin
Tuesday, November 26 - Saturday, November 30

The Holly and The Ivy
Wednesday, December 4 - Saturday, December 7

Jack and the Beanstalk
Saturday, December 14 - Sunday, January 19

St David's Hall
Tel: 2087 8444
www.stdavidshallcardiff.co.uk

See website for performance times and further details.

Vampires Rock
Monday, November 11, 7.30pm

Sean Lock - Comedy
Tuesday, November 12, 8pm

Sinfonia Cymru - Concert
Tuesday, November 12, 1pm

Elvis:The Ultimate Performance
Thursday, November 14, 7.30pm

Tasmin Little plays Szymanowski
Friday, November 15, 7.30pm

Verdi Aida
Saturday, November 16, 7.30pm

The Armed Man A Mass For Peace
Sunday, November 17, 3pm

Czech National Symphony Orchestra
Monday, November 18, 7.30pm

Craig Campbell-Comedy
Tuesday, November 19, 8pm

Ruth Wall - Three Harps
Tuesday, November 19, 1pm

An Evening with Bryan Ferry
Wednesday, November 20, 7.30pm

Sensational 60s Experience
Thursday, November 21, 7.30pm

Billy Bragg Tooth & Nail Tour
Friday, November 22, 7.30pm

The Magic of Motown
Saturday, November 23, 8pm

Royal Welsh College of Music & Drama Symphony Orchestra & Chorus
Monday, November 25, 7.30pm

Cardiff Metropolitan Cathedral Choir
Tuesday, November 26, 1pm

Jamie Smith's Mabon
Tuesday, November 26, 8pm

Greg Davies:The Back of My Mums Head - Comedy
Wednesday, November 27, 8pm

Rachmaninov & Prokofiev BBC NOW
Thursday, November 28, 7.30pm

Ed Byrne:Roaring Forties - Comedy
Friday, November 29, 8pm

John Wilson & The John Wilson Orchestra
Sunday, December 1, 3pm

Psychic Sally On The Road
Tuesday, December 3, 7.30pm

The Bootleg Beatles in Concert
Wednesday, December 4, 8pm

That'll Be The Day Christmas Show
Thursday, December 5, 7.30pm

A Christmas Night At The Movies
Friday, December 6, 7.30pm

Christmas with the Royal Welsh College Brass Band
Friday, December 6, 1pm

Katherine Jenkins
Sunday, December 8, 7.30pm

A Christmas Concert of Seasonal Music & Carols
Thursday, December 12, 7.30pm

Bert & Cherry's Christmas Plum Pudding
Friday, December 13-Saturday, December 14

The Sixteen
Friday, December 13, 7.30pm

Cardiff Castle
Tel: 2087 8100
www.cardiffcastle.com

Beaujolais Nouveau Day
Thursday, November 21 from 7pm
A sumptuous 4 course dinner, French café-style music and wine-tasting.
Pre-book on 029 2087 8100. Tickets £40 per person.

'Cardiff recognises true nobility' - Lecture by Matthew Williams
Thursday, November 21, 6pm
Limited availability. Pre-book on 029 2087 8100. Tickets: £7.50

Santa's Grotto
Sat 7 / Sun 8/ Sat 14 / Sun 15/ Sat 21 / Sun 22 / Mon 23 December-Timed slots: from 10am Thurs 12 / Fri 13/ Thurs 19 / Fri 20 December-Timed slots: from 5pm
Pre-booking essential for a timed ticket. Tickets available at www.cardiffcastle.com (via Ticketline) or in person at the Castle Ticket Office. Child £7 (includes gift and two accompanying adults). Extra charge for photos or additional adults.

Christmas Wreath-Making Workshop
Sunday, December 8 from 11am
Pre-book on 029 2087 8100. £10 per wreath.

Victorian Christmas Tours
Tuesday, December 10-Wednesday, December 11 from 5pm Pre-book on 029 2087 8100. Child £11, Adult £15/£14. 10% discount for Castle key/Season ticket holders.

Castle after Dark
Sunday, December 15 from 5.30pm
Book on 029 2087 8100. Child £11, Adult £15/£14. 10% discount for Castle key/Season ticket holders

Park Events
Tel: 2068 4000
www.cardiff.gov.uk/parks

Autumn Art Attack
Saturday, November 16, 1pm - 3pm
Meet at Victoria Park Bowls Pavilion. £1.

Monthly nature ramble at Forest Farm
Saturday, November 16, 10am -12pm

Bird walk around Roath Park Lake
Sunday, November 17 & December 8, 10am - 12noon Meet by the lighthouse on Roath Park Promenade. Free.

Cardiff's Victorian Parks-An enduring legacy-Lecture
Tuesday, November 19, 7pm
Humanities Building, Cardiff University, Colum Drive. Free.

Forest Farm Wildlife Watch
Saturday, November 30, 10am -12noon

Christmas Memorial Service Thornhill Crematorium
Sunday, December 8, 2pm - 3.30pm
Meet at the Wenallt Chapel, Thornhill Crematorium. Free (£2 for tags).

Carol Service, Grange Gardens Bandstand
Monday, December 9, 6.30pm. Free.

Carol Service, Victoria Park Bandstand
Tuesday, December 10, 6.30pm. Free.

Carol Service, Roath Park
Wednesday, December 11, 6.30pm
Pre-book in advance. To book, call 029 2044 5911/5903. Free.

Libraries
Tel: 2038 2116
www.cardiff.gov.uk/libraryevents

Children's activities
Cardiff Libraries provide free Rhyme Time, Story Time and Language and Play sessions for babies and toddlers.

Central Library, The Hayes, has Rhyme Time for 0 -2 year olds every Wednesday and Thursday morning at 10.30am. Please book a place by telephoning 2078 0953 or emailing childrenslibrary@cardiff.gov.uk

Story Time for 2 - 4 year olds in Central Library is on Tuesdays and Fridays at 10.30am.

We also have lots of activities happening across Cardiff. Contact your local branch library to find out what activities are available for young children close to your home.

Canton Library 2022 9935
Cathays Library 2078 5580
Ely Library 2056 2064
Fairwater Library 2078 5583
Grangetown Library 2023 0526
Llandaff North Library 2061 3182
Llanedeyrn Library 2073 1428
Llanishen Library 2075 0634
Llanrumney Library 2078 0994
Penylan Library 2078 8400
Radyr Library 2078 0996
Rhiwbina Library 2069 3276
Rhydypennau Library 2075 4657
Roath Library 2049 4538
Rumney Library 2079 5834
Splott Library 2046 2522
St Mellon's Library 2078 0992
Whitchurch Library 2062 8951

Coffee Morning
Rhydypennau Library. Every last Friday of the month. Fairtrade Tea and filter coffee provided. Quizzes, newspapers and crosswords available. Call 2075 4657 for details.

Live Music
Central Library. Saturday from 1pm. A wide range of artists performing live. Call the library on 2078 0959 for details.

Cardiff Central Library Events
Carers' Day Friday - November 29, 10am - 4pm. Meet organisations to get advice from their information stands including Telecare and the Community Alarm Service.
Business seminars and workshops-Monday, November 18 - Thursday, November 21 Business@Breakfast. To register contact europedirect@cardiff.gov.uk

Millennium Stadium
Tel : 087005582582
www.millenniumstadium.com

Wales v Argentina
Saturday, November 16, 2.30pm

Wales v Tonga
Friday, November 22, 7.30pm

Wales v Australia
Saturday, November 30, 5pm

For details on the autumn rugby series visit our website.

City and Bay Events
Email: events@cardiff.gov.uk
Email: Eventsmarketing @cardiff.gov.uk
www.cardiff.gov.uk
www.cardiff-festival.com
2087 2087/8 (cym).

Cardiff's Winter Wonderland City Hall Lawn, Civic Centre
Thursday, November 14 - Sunday, January 5, 2014. This festive setting, situated in Cardiff's iconic Civic Centre includes the Open Air Ice Rink and other attractions. www.cardiffswinterwonderland.com

Step into Christmas - City Centre Wide
Thursday, November 14, 4.30pm -7.30pm
An action-packed programme of dazzling entertainment for all the family set against the glittering spectacle of Cardiff's Christmas lights. Free. www.christmasincardiff.com

Santa's Grotto, Queen Street
Thursday, November 14 -Tuesday, December 24

Christmas in Cardiff Bay
Friday, December 6 - Sunday, December 8
Enjoy lively entertainment, join in the lantern procession, meet Santa in his grotto and watch a spectacular firework display! For details visit www.visitcardiffbay.info www.christmasincardiff.com

Cardiff Bay Santa & Elf Dash-Cardiff Bay
Sunday, December 8. For details visit: www.welshhearts.org

Cardiff Bay Water Activity Centre
Learn sailing, rowing, powerboating, windsurfing, archery, fishing and more. Contact 029 2087 7977 / 029 2035 3912 or visit www.cbwac.com

Cardiff International White Water
White water rafting, kayaking, canoeing and stand up paddling-Indoor Surfing now open! Contact 029 2082 9970 or visit www.ciww.com

Cardiff Archaeological Society Lectures
Chemistry Lecture Theatre, Main Building, Cardiff University, Cathays Park.
Thursday, November 21, 7.15pm - 'Power centres of past and present: recent work at Caerau Hillfort'
Thursday, December 5, 7.15pm - 'Auditory archaeology at Catalhoyuk: considering sound in neolithic life'.

Cardiff Bonsai Club
Meet monthly on the third Wednesday at 7.30pm at Bethal Church Hall, Whitchurch. www.cardiffbonsai.org.uk

Cardiff Farmer's Markets
Rhiwbina, Butcher's Arms - every Friday 10am - 1pm. Roath, Mackintosh Sports Club - every Saturday 9.30am -1pm. Riverside, Fitzhamon Embankment - every Sunday 10am-2pm. Whitchurch (outside The Three Elms pub) - every Wednesday 10am - 2pm. St. Mary Street every Saturday 11am - 5pm. www.riversidemarket.org.uk

The Merchant Navy Association (Wales)
Meet monthly on the second Wednesday at 2.30pm at the Canton Liberal Club, Cowbridge Road East. Former and serving members of the Merchant Navy, Royal Fleet Auxiliary Service and Fishing Fleets are welcome. For details contact 01443 815013/byron@blackranger.plus.com

The Merchant Navy Association (Wales) Events
The Annual Seafarers Service in Wales-Llandaff Cathedral, Saturday, October 19, 11am. Annual Remembrance Service-Merchant Seafarers Memorial, Cardiff Bay, Saturday, November 9, 11am. For details contact 01443 815013/ byron@blackranger.plus.com

Cardiff Naturalists' Society
A series of talks and field trips covering all aspects of wildlife. For details: www.cardiffnaturalists.org.uk

Cardiff Philatelic Society
Stamps, postcards or postal history group. Meet alternate Tuesdays, 7.30pm at Llanishen Baptist Church, Fidlas Road, Llanishen, CF14 5LZ. www.cardiffphilatelicsociety.org.uk

Cardiff Royal Naval Association
Meet monthly on the second Monday at 7.30pm at the Rumney Royal British Legion. Former and serving members of The Royal Navy and Royal Marines welcome. For details: 07926 030327 / jeffhadley@hotmail.co.uk

Four Seasons
An over 60's social group for widows and widowers. Meet every Tuesday at 12.30pm. Location changes weekly, for details contact 02920 483321.

Llandaff Cathedral Choral Society and Period Ensemble perform Monteverdi Vespers of 1610. Llandaff Cathedral, Saturday, November 16, 7.30pm. Tickets £15 & £12
www.llandaffcathedralchoralsociety.org.uk

Loose Ends
A social group for the over 50's. The group enjoy social evenings and walks. For details: looseends75@yahoo.co.uk / 02920 611992.

Monday Club
If you are age 50 plus and would like to make new friends come along to the weekly club at Horne Guard Club, Ely at 1.30pm. Complimentary refreshments are also available.

National Museum Cardiff-Llareggub: Peter Blake illustrates Dylan Thomas's Under Milk Wood . Saturday, November 23-16 March 2014. Free. For a full listing of events and exhibitions visit www.museumwales.ac.uk / 0300 111 2 333.

Rhiwbina Floral Society
Meet every first and third Tuesday of the month at Rhiwbina Memorial Hall, Lon Ucha, CF14 6HL. For details: www.rhiwbinafloralsociety.org.uk

Royal Welsh College of Music and Drama
For details visit www.rwcmd.ac.uk. Box office: 029 2039 1391 / boxoffice@rwcmd.ac.uk

The Royal Welsh Regimental Comrades Association City of Cardiff Branch
Former and serving members of the Royal Welsh, Welch Regiment, South Wales Borderers, Royal Welch Fusiliers, Royal Regiment of Wales and any affiliated territorial and regular battalions are welcome. Meet at the Warrant Officers' and Sergeants Mess at Maindy Barracks on the third Friday each month at 7.30pm. For details call 02920 618115 / 02920 549577.

Sherman Cymru-The Sleeping Beauties
Friday, December 6 - Saturday, January 4.
For details on this and other events visit www.shermancymru.co.uk / 029 2064 6900.

St Fagans: National History Museum-Meet Father Christmas and Friends
Every weekend from Saturday, November 30 until Sunday, December 22
£12 per child, call 029 2087 8440 for tickets. For a full listing of events visit www.museumwales.ac.uk / 0300 111 2 333.

Welsh widows and widowers group
The group meet every Saturday night for social evenings. There is also a lunchtime club on a Wednesday each fortnight. For details, call 07749 542858 or e-mail friends@welshwidows.co.uk / website www.welshwidows.co.uk

Norwegian Church Art Centre
Tel: 2087 7959
www.norwegianchurchcardiff.com

The Welsh Norwegian Society monthly meetings
Third Wednesday of each month, 7.30pm. Free.

Keith James concert - Duende
Thursday, November 14, 8pm. £12

Christmas Markets
Saturday, November 23 - Sunday, November 24, 12noon - 5pm. Free.

Octave at Christmas
Friday, November 29, 7.30pm. £9

Christmas with Michael Bennett
Friday, December 6, 7.30pm. £7 / £8.

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Golden Charter Funeral Plans

‘Off Peak’ Garden Waste Collections

From this year your ‘Off Peak’ Garden Waste will be collected every 4 weeks between the months of November 2013 and March 2014.

BLACK WASTE WEEK

- Black bin or black bags (depending on area)
- Green recycling bags
- Food waste caddy

GARDEN WASTE WEEK

- Green bin or white bags (depending on area)
- Green recycling bags
- Food waste caddy

RECYCLING ONLY WEEK

- Green recycling bags
- Food waste caddy

To find out more about the changes to the garden waste collection day:

- **Sign up for Tidy Text (text ‘TIDY’ with your house number and postcode to 60066)**
- **Visit www.cardiff.gov.uk/waste**
- **Call C2C on 029 2087 2087**

Find your area below, to find your garden waste collection day...

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Radyr / Morganstown Pentyrch	Llandaff Llandaff North	Pentwyn	Llanrumney Pontprennau	Llanishen

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Fairwater Creigiau / St Fagans	Canton	Cyncoed	Trowbridge	Rhiwbina Lisvane

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Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Caerau	Butetown Grangetown	Gabalfa Cathays	Adamsdown Splott	Whitchurch & Tongwynlais

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Keep Cardiff moving through the winter

Cardiff Council has plans in place to ensure the city is kept moving during the winter period as well as tips on how you can look after yourself and your family during periods of bad weather.

By the end of November, the Council will have approximately 5500 tonnes of salt available. This is more than the Welsh Local Government Association recommendation that Councils should hold one and a half times the average amount of salt used annually during the last six years, which for Cardiff would be 4236 tonnes.

Which roads are salted?

With more than 600 miles of roads across Cardiff, it is not possible for all roads to be treated with salt when ice or snow is forecast, so following consultation with transport providers, the police and emergency services, the Council has identified a priority network of routes that will be pre-salted when freezing conditions are forecast.

This network, which is a little under half of the total adopted highway within Cardiff, comprises principal roads, B roads, some C roads, and other non-classified roads on some bus routes. The pre-salting network is similar to, but not exactly the same as the Cardiff City Public Transport Bus Route Network. A list of roads that will be pre-salted can be found on the Council's website: www.cardiff.gov.uk/winterweather

Cycle routes are only treated where they form part of the carriageway which is on a designated salting route. In situations where the weather forecasts do not require all of the prescribed network to be salted, only the principal roads, roads identified as colder than average and known wet areas will be treated. This will be just over a quarter of the adopted highway across Cardiff. It is important that all road users take extra care at times when winter weather conditions are being experienced.

Are any footpaths salted?

A limited network of footways will be salted when ice or snow is forecast. A priority list of footways has been developed in accordance with guidance from the Institute of Highways & Transportation. The highest priority, which is based on footfall, is the main pedestrianised areas in the city centre. These will be pre-treated when local surface temperatures are forecast to fall below zero.

Further details on footway salting can be found on the Council's website: www.cardiff.gov.uk/winterweather

How is salting done?

Resources are on stand-by 24 hours a day during the winter period (between November and March inclusive) to ensure that salting can be undertaken promptly once it is needed. The Council uses a fleet of 12 vehicles to spread salt on the roads following prescribed routes. The vehicles can be fitted with ploughs to help with clearing snow from roads if needed. The pre-salting operation usually starts within one hour of the decision being taken to start salting and takes approximately four hours to complete.

What is done to minimise the impact of salt upon the environment?

The salting of roads is essential to keep Cardiff moving, when snow, ice or frost is forecast. However, the Council also recognises that salt may have an adverse impact upon the environment if not properly managed.

The Council aims to ensure all salt is accurately spread at the appropriate rates to address the forecast weather conditions. All gritting vehicles are calibrated on an annual basis to ensure the salt is spread at the correct rate.

How will the Council clear snow from the highway?

Following a snow event, the Council will work to restore its principal roads and the remainder of the treated network and also the priority footway areas in the city centre to a serviceable condition as soon as possible.

The Council's priority will be the principal roads and core bus routes throughout the city. Once the principal roads and core bus routes are returned to a serviceable state, the remainder of the pre-treated network (B roads, some C roads, and other non classified roads on bus routes) will be tackled.

The time taken to return roads to a serviceable condition will be highly dependent upon a number of factors including the amount of snow, type of snow, and continuing weather conditions, in particular temperatures and further snowfall.

During periods of disruption caused by snow, the Council will ensure all sufficient resources are in place to help with the winter maintenance work required to return its highway network to a trafficable state as soon as possible.

Does the Council have a policy for providing salt bins?

The Council will provide a salt container where a need has been identified on routes that are not located along the pre-salting network. These salt containers are provided for use by members of the public and also the emergency services on the adopted highway, but not on private driveways, footways and the like.

There are currently more than 600 salt containers located across Cardiff and the locations can be found on the Council's website www.cardiff.gov.uk/winterweather. Each container is checked and refilled prior to the start of the winter season. Any that are found to be damaged are replaced as necessary.

It is important to note that the Council cannot act on a request for the provision of salt containers if it does not meet the agreed criteria. When a request for a salt container is received, the location will be assessed in line with these agreed criteria. The Council has prepared guidance for the use of salt from salt containers. This can be found on the Council's website: www.cardiff.gov.uk/winterweather

It should be noted that salt containers may be removed following repeated reports of damage or vandalism. Containers are inspected and refilled if needed after periods of prolonged frost or snow, or on request.

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The snow code - tips on clearing snow and ice from pavements or public spaces

The Government has prepared a 'Snow Code' which provides advice on the clearance of snow and ice from pavements.

There's no law stopping you from clearing snow and ice on the pavement outside your home or from public spaces. It's unlikely you'll be sued or held legally responsible for any injuries on the path if you have cleared it carefully. Follow the snow code when clearing snow and ice safely.

CLEAR THE SNOW OR ICE EARLY IN THE DAY

It's easier to move fresh, loose snow rather than hard snow that has been compacted from people walking on it. So if possible, start removing the snow and ice in the morning. If you remove the top layer of snow in the morning, any sunshine during the day will help melt any ice beneath. You can then cover the path with salt before nightfall to stop it refreezing overnight.

PREVENT SLIPS

Pay extra attention to clear snow and ice from steps and steep pathways - you might need to use more salt on these areas. If you clear snow and ice yourself, be careful - don't make the pathways more dangerous by causing them to refreeze. But don't be put off clearing paths because you're afraid someone will get injured.

Remember people walking on snow and ice have a responsibility to be careful themselves. Follow the advice below to make sure you clear the pathway safely and effectively.

USE SALT OR SAND - NOT WATER

If you use water to melt the snow, it may refreeze and turn to black ice. Black ice increases the risk of injuries as it is invisible and very slippery. You can prevent black ice by spreading some salt on the area you have cleared. You can use ordinary table or dishwasher salt - a tablespoon for each square metre you clear should work. Don't use the salt found in salting bins - this will be needed to keep the roads clear.

Be careful not to spread salt on plants or grass as it may cause them damage. If you don't have enough salt, you can also use sand or ash. These won't stop the path icing over as well as salt, but will provide good grip under foot.

TAKE CARE WHERE YOU MOVE THE SNOW

When you're shovelling snow, take care where you put it so it doesn't block people's paths or drains. Make sure you make a path down the middle of the area to be cleared first, so you have a clear surface to walk on. Then shovel the snow from the centre of the path to the sides.

OFFER TO CLEAR YOUR NEIGHBOURS' PATHS

If your neighbour will have difficulty getting in and out of their home, offer to clear snow and ice around their property as well. Check that any elderly or disabled neighbours are alright in the cold weather. If you're worried about them, contact your local council.

Snow Event Information and Tips - There are many small steps you can take to prepare for a snow event and keep yourself informed when snow does come…

1) First of all know it is coming – Ensure you keep a close eye on weather forecasts on television, listen to local radio or go to the met office website for local forecasts and weather warnings.

2) If you intend travelling in snow conditions, ask yourself:

- Is your journey essential?
- Have you checked the weather forecast and road conditions and carefully considered the advice given?
- Does anyone know where you are going and when you hope to arrive?
- Would taking warm clothing, hot drinks, food, Wellingtons, a torch and shovel be a wise precaution?
- Are you travelling appropriately for the road conditions?
- Are you using dipped headlights in poor visibility and snow?
- Are you driving in the highest gear possible and avoiding harsh braking and acceleration?
- Are you maintaining a safe stopping distance?
- Are you keeping a careful watch on all other road users?

3) Listen in to local radio or consult the Cardiff Council website to find out if your child's school is open or closed. Or visit www.cardiff.gov.uk/ismyschoolopen

4) Does your area have a community plan to deal with emergencies?

- Is there a community group that can assist during severe weather?
- For information on community planning go to the Cardiff Council website and click on Emergency Management.

5) Check on those in your family and community who are vulnerable during snow and cold weather.

6) Ensure you are prepared for dealing with any snow. The Council is able to provide at cost a number of items of equipment to assist citizens and businesses dealing with snow. These items are as follows:

- Pedestrian gritter (delivered) - £1,200
- Salt container empty green 200kg (for collection) - £168
- Salt container green 200kg (filled red salt & delivered) - £282
- Refill container 200kg (delivered) - £96
- Salt container empty green 400kg (for collection) - £180
- Salt container green 400kg (filled with red salt & delivered) - £300
- Refill installed container 400kg - £120
- Digga 2 piece lightweight shovel (for collection) - £27
- 20kg bag rocksalt (for collection) - £9
- 1 tonne builders bag of red rocksalt (delivered) - £180
- 1 tonne of rocksalt red loose (loaded on to customers flatbed) - £120
- 1 tonne builders bag of white rocksalt (delivered) - £240
- 28 tonne bulk load of rocksalt (delivered) - £1,800

You can purchase any items of equipment before 30th November 2013. Send your request in writing to the following address, enclosing a cheque for the appropriate amount made payable to 'Cardiff Council':

Cardiff Council, Administration Team, Coleridge Road, Leckwith, CF11 8BT.

Useful Contact Details

We will keep our website up to date with the latest service information during severe weather, please visit **www.cardiff.gov.uk/winterweathe** or follow us on Twitter for service updates: **@cardiffcouncil**

Cardiff Council - Connect to Cardiff (C2C): The Council's C2C contact centre offers help and advice on council services. If you need more specific advice we can put you in touch with the appropriate council department.

Opening hours: Monday - Friday, 8:00am to 7:00pm - Saturday, 9:00am to 12:30pm
If you call when we are closed you will hear a message that gives useful information and emergency telephone numbers. **Tel: 029 2087 2087 - Email: C2C@cardiff.gov.uk**

Met Office: http://www.metoffice.gov.uk

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Childcare in Cardiff

...we want your views

Cardiff Council has a duty within the Childcare Act 2006 to consult with a wide range of stakeholders in the Cardiff area on matters concerning the supply and demand for childcare. A full consultation involving parents, childcare providers, employers, children and other stakeholders is undertaken every three years and updated annually.

Interested in helping with our surveys?

Fancy joining one of our focus groups?

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Surveys...

Please help us to ensure that Cardiff Council is shaping and securing sufficient, sustainable, affordable and flexible childcare that is responsive to parents needs.

You can participate in the following surveys which are available online:

- Parents with school age children 4-14 years attending school full time
- Parents with preschool children 0 - 4 years and school preference
- Employers
- Childcare Providers
- Children attending Registered Daycare services.

The survey questionnaires can be found online at:
www.childcareincardiff.info
www.facebook.com/cardiff familyinformationservice

Survey results of the consultation will be published in the Cardiff Childcare Sufficiency Assessment Report April 2014.

Focus Groups...

A series of focus groups will also take place in November which includes:

- Parents with children less than 14 years of age, Black and Ethnic Minority Groups
- Parents with children less than 14 years of age, Welsh Language Childcare provision
- Parents with children disabled children or additional needs less than 18 years of age.

If you would like to participate in any of these focus groups please contact:

Sion Bonett,
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Email: Sion.Bonett3@cardiff.gov.uk

The Cardiff Annual Childcare Sufficiency Assessment Report April 2013 is available from the Childcare Strategy Unit website www.childcareincardiff.info

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